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To JACK RUBY

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JACK RUBY

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December 2, 1963

Don't worry---

You deserve a GOLD Medal-

to Kill the assassin that killed President Kennedy-

J DON'T worry---You will be a free man--

It may take some years---but history will
show you were a PATRIOT-- and PAtriotism caused
the deed--that MILLIONS would be willing
to avenge the KILLER of PRESIDENT KENNEDY--

GOOD LUCK--

Robert Sanderson-
4717 South Park Ave
Chicago--



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Mr. Embry, Patriot
c/o Police Jail
Dallas, Texas-

County Jail

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To Jack Ruby
Texas No. 1 Citizen
% Dallas County Jail
Dallas, Texas 451



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Dec. 25-1963

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Eastley S.C.
Dec 2, 1963

Dear Mr Ruby;

I am in line to let
you know that I
approve of what
you did. Right or
wrong.

Mr Oswald is in
hell it is too good
for him.

The President's death &
funeral would have
been unbearable, if

Oswald was alive
I saw him on TV
as he told a room
he needed a
shirt. And I thought
to myself, that our
President was dead
and all he could think
about was a clean
shirt.

Good luck to you
Mr Ruby

from a friend

Ronald Hunt
4 Patten St.
Longview, Texas

Also
new
&

Mr. Jack Ruby
c/o Dallas County Jail
Dallas, Texas

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AP
Jul 25-1964

Longview, Texas

Nov. 29, 1963

Dear Mr. Ruby,

Like most of the American citizens I, too, have been watching with an unsuspecting eye, the events of this past week. My heart, along with yours, grieves the terrible death of our late President John F. Kennedy. I can truly understand your sincere convictions to see the guilty person or persons punished for their destructive act.

But I am not writing to judge your act or to try to justify it. My only concern is for

your spiritual welfare.
I do not know what
your religious background
or affiliation is but that
is not important. The
only thing that really
matters is that you are
"born again." Jesus said
"I am the way." As long
as one has confessed his
need for a saviour and
has accepted Christ into
his heart, his spiritual
condition is as a child
of God's and on here to all
that God has. I trust you
will read the verses underlined
in the Testament enclosed and
feel free to express your
decision to me in a letter.

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Yours in Christ
Ronald Young

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Cash Berger
2643 Kennedy Ave.
Dayton 20, Ohio



VIA AIR MAIL

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Mr Jack Ruby, c/o Tom Howard
County Jail
Dallas, Texas

Dec. 25-1963

W
Dayton Ohio
Dec 3 - 1963

Mr Jack Ruby ^{to} Tom Howard
Dear Sir

I Think You Did What
what Thousands of others
Would Have Done Under The
Circumstances?

I Dont Think They Will Ever
Get A Jury in Tex To
Find You Guilty of the
Crime Which You are
Charged.

I am For You 100%

Cincerity Yours

Cash Barger
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Dayton 20 Ohio

Paul Hein

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Chicago, Illinois

Bella Villa Motel 448

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Box 316 • Lake Shore Drive • Stevensville, Michigan

Dear Mr. Ruby,

You might remember me? My name is Paul Hein, I am an entertainer who worked at the Cabaret Hotel awhile back. You invited me to your place - Remember. Well I didn't make it.

See, I don't know whether to shake your hand or be mad with you, but I do understand. I don't cry easily, but this past week-end has made me loose more tears than when my own mother died when I was 13 years old.

The Reason I'm writing to you is because I'm in the process of writing



Bella Villa Motel

Box 316 - Lake Shore Drive - Stevensville, Michigan

a spontaneous type number with the memory of
our late beloved president in mind. Sir,
if at all possible could you write me a
letter & let me get a good idea about
your feelings for this wonderful man, you
might help inspire me to do the tune and
write the lyrics with more and sincere
ideas. At the least I can do as one of
his "lost for words" friends. You didn't
know him and I didn't know him, but
we all had something in common. We loved
him.

Sincerely, Best wishes
& prayers.

Paul Hewitt

P.S. to write if at all
possible at top of page 1



Bella Villa Motel
Box 316 - Lake Shore Drive
Stevensville, Michigan



Very important



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Mr. Jack Ruby
c/o Dallas Police Dept.
Dallas, Texas

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*"The Lord watch between me and thee, when we are
absent one from another."—Gen. 31:49*

P.S. As I looked
at the papers
I found your
papers were from
Poland.

So were mine
my father died
about three years
ago was no less
eighties also.

I do hope you'll
have a happy
Christmas

Do write if you
are able. It
will do you
good. Let me
know if you
liked the
tracts.



Jack Ruby
Dallas County Jail
Dallas
Texas

Dec. 25 - 1961

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Mussle tuff -
Jack - I know
exactly how
you felt at
the time. I
will pray you
will be free
and enjoy life
and your church
a friend
"Toni"

MADONNA IN PRAYER
(THE BLUE MADONNA)
SABOTERRATO

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Mr + Mrs Clikens
1095 Kamfergaane
Muckley
Mich

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Dear Ruby,

You'll be surprised
to receive a letter
from a stranger.

But, I was led
to write a word
of comfort. I know
your loneliness. I
was playing a hymn
on the piano and
thought why not comfort
Ruby he needs this
too.

I'm glad you have
time before a trial
it gives God a chance
to work for you too
and help you.

In the New Testament
it is written that
God so love the world

2.

that he gave his
begotten Son that
whoever believeth
in Him should
not perish but
have everlasting
life this life is
in His Son. If you
accept Him into
your hearts you
shall be saved.

God did not come
to the world to
condemn it but
that the world
through Christ might
be saved.

I accepted Christ
a year after I
was married had
a lot to learn

4.

Please, get saved
Ruby, It says Christ
died for the
ungodly not for
the good. If you
accept Him - you
become fellow citizen
with the saints -
It says He that
cometh unto me
I will in no wise
cast out

I have brothers
too and when I see
your sis on T.V. I felt
like crying.
Well, I must iron
now, but if you
feel led to write
write them. I know
my husband will
understand.

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When, we become a
saint old things
pass away everything
becomes new, and
its here on earth
at now. Behold
now is the day
of salvation
Behold now is
the accepted time.
This is just the
beginning.

It also says eye
hath not seen
ear has not heard
the things the Lord
has prepared for
them that love
him. No its
never too late
believe me.

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Mr Jack Leon Rubenstein
Dallas Texas
County jail

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Ill be 55 in 21
Dec. my husband
is 61

Have you a
Bible? I have
an Romans &
chapter twenty
eighth verse.

The Lord said in this
world we shall
have tribulation
but He said he
of good cheer I
have now come
into the world.

I have a brother
at Franchise
City Hospital pray
for him please!
By now, May the
Lord bless you good.

Sorry, I did not write as much as I feel like you are one of the relatives

Just think Christ
will fill you
lonely hrs just
when you need
him most.

Aren't you
glad I wrote.
Well God loves
you more but
you just didn't
know how
much. Will give
you the Holy Spirit
too. In your sis-
ty pie so had to
write, just take
it as such please.
Keep looking up.
Ruby. Well I be
praying for a
big change

Mrs Aikens

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Jack Ruby
Dallas Co. Jail
Dallas, Texas.

Dec 25-1963



IS THERE A GOOD GOD?

If there is a good God, why does He permit such suffering and wickedness to go on?

This question is raised by many broken hearts; and God sees and knows and cares, only we don't understand God, or His written Word.

God is the good Spirit, only God is good, man cannot change the Spirit, God is love because God is love, is the answer for — Why does a good God permit such suffering and wickedness to go on?

Let us not go by our small minds, but let us see what God's Word has to say.

Second letter of Peter, the third chapter and 9th verse, The Lord is not slack concerning His promise (to come) as some men count slackness; but is — long suffering — to usward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

I understand according to the Bible truth, in I Thessalonians 4:14 to 18, that Christ Jesus is going to soon take up all His believers, He will come — in the air, we shall be caught up, etc., so, when Christ catches up all who believe in Him, the only ones who will be left here will be the ones who reject the Lord Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour in this life.

So, now you can see, why God is long suffering, not willing that any should perish, He is letting His people suffer in this world till others be saved, and be ready to go up to meet Him in the air.

We hear many preachers say, "REPENT" I say, how can a man repent till he hears the Gospel, till he hears about the goodness of God? faith cometh by hearing, and hearing, by the Word of God — Romans 10:17, — Listen — Or despisest thou the riches of His (God's) goodness and forbearance, and long suffering; not knowing that the goodness of God leadeth thee to repentance.

We were all born sinners — Romans 5:12, Christ died for our sins, was buried, and rose again — I Cor. 15:1, 2, 3, 4.

God so loved the world (us) that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. — St. John 3:16.

With the heart man believeth unto righteousness. — Romans 10:10.



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Mr. Jack Ruby
% Dallas Jail
Dallas, Texas

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Hells mra Ruby -

Today, another point of view given by newspapers. Another, thought not necessarily another in being different. Shall admit - Your knowing Oswald is certain not to love you in anyway I can see - This is public opinion - If the happening was not for the Kennedy's - "If" it is for some Communist reason being aggressive toward the free-world - I feel you need more than help in Texas, but if you are sincere in doing it for the Kennedy's needs, you'll most likely be in good shape - Guess the F.B.I. shall intrude & help solve the big mystery -

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concerning all points of
view -

Do hope that comes
out for the best of
the "people" - for our
life is representative
of "The People"

Again -

Joe Yountz

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Jack Ruby (Brockington)
c/o Dallas Texas Police
Capt
Dallas Texas

Dec. 25-1967

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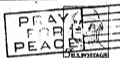
the City, feeling your heart's regret
for the loss of your friend, and taking the time
to write these words.

But as he has thereby to be
in a voluntary agreement for a
a year, you will be bound to the
law of the land.

the Court of that country, after mentioning
the fact, he has completed the
document. I have not seen the
document, as it is in the hands of the
Dallas police, and was given to them
by the

The ... and family ...
 your ...
 ...

Best again hope you are getting on well.
The friends in the other States



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Mr. Jack Ruby.
Dallas, Texas

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Tuesday

Dear Sir.

To let you know there are those
who think of you. There is one who
always cares and understands. This
little verse may help you.

"God has a wireless to everyone
We call it the word of God and prayer.
And everyone may daily win
God's choicest gifts by listening in.
If we prayerfully read God's word
The still small voice is ever heard,
And wondrous joy and peace within
Daily result from listening in.

Sincerely,

Marybelle Tröyer

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Mr. Jack Ruby
Dallas County Jail
Dallas, Texas



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Hamptead, N.C.
November 27, 1963

Dear Mr. Ruby:

I am writing you for many reasons. First I want to thank you for doing something for me, something that I would gladly have done myself had I had the opportunity. I would never have been able to rest again until the slayer of our president was dead.

Second, you must realize that for many reasons, the official position of everyone—news media and public officials—must be that your act was wrong. Before the lid was clamped down on such reports, radio and TV were reporting that people were suggesting that you receive a medal. Few people can openly praise you for your act. You should not feel that everyone is against you. Many of us are very much with you. Too, you must realize that passionate cool and soon the people will have forgotten that when they heard the news of the killer's death they said, "I'm glad." You know it must have been a comfort to the Kennedy to know that the slayer had already met his reward before the president was laid to rest.

I am sorry that the news media have felt it necessary to bring up your past. Personally your past is not material in this case. You were a patriot at this moment when you thought your country needed you. You acted. This is all that counts. That is all a country could ask.

Your act was legally wrong and God may judge it to be morally wrong. I have great faith in the fact that God is just and that he only expects us to do what we think is right. I am sure that you thought what you did was right. God will forgive. So, that leaves you to settle with man and his laws. I understand that you will plead temporary insanity. Surely this is a valid plea. We were all a little insane at this time of great sadness. I consider myself quite sane but given the opportunity you were given, I honestly believe I would have done the same as you did. Certainly if I did not act as you did, it would have been from lack of courage and not from lack of desire.

Because your feelings at this time of national tragedy so closely paralleled my own, I shall always feel a great brotherhood with you and I am sure many in this nation feel the same. If I can help financially or otherwise you have but to ask. I want to do something for you because I share your guilt if there is guilt as I shared your triumph if there was triumph.

May God bless you and keep you.

Sincerely Yours

W.T. Batchelor
William T. Batchelor

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AFTER 5 DAYS RETURN TO

Mr. Ruth Bruce
262. D. Malap
Senavandi, N.Y. 14150



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Mr. Ruby
To Dallas Police
Dallas, Texas

Dec. 24-1964

December 2, 1963

Mr. Ruby,

I just read an article in the newspaper that of 300 letters you have received, only four were against you. Well, here is number five.

How could you have done such a thing? Sure, we would all like to get the man who killed our wonderful President Kennedy, but after all, we are supposed to be civilized people who believe in justice for all through the courts.

You have put a terrible blot on the people of the United States. You have given our enemies, and yes, even our friends in other countries of the world, a terrible picture of violence in the United States to use against us.

I really can't express myself too well but I did want you to know that I think you were very, very wrong in killing Oswald.

Mrs. Ruth Bunce



INCREDIBILE ATTENTATO A DALLAS LEE OSWALD E' STATO UCCISO

DALLAS, (Texas) 24 (Als-Alp) — Lee Harvey Oswald, l'uomo che la polizia ritiene abbia assassinato il presidente Kennedy, e le prove contro di lui sono molte e chiare, è stato gravemente ferito al ventre da un colpo di rivoltella sparatogli a bruciapeto.

L'attentato, è avvenuto in un corridoio del sotterraneo del commissariato centrale della Polizia di Dallas, mentre Oswald stava per essere trasferito, in una vettura blindata, nelle prigioni distrettuali.

Nel corridoio si trovavano una cinquantina di giornalisti di tutto il mondo che da due ore aspettavano l'arrivo del probabile assassino di Kennedy. La televisione era già entrata in funzione e filmava con i suoi riflettori la porta del commissariato dalla quale, alle 12.10 precise, Oswald, ammucchiato e sorvegliato strettamente, uscì per percorrere il corridoio e prendere posto nel bagagliaio della polizia. Mentre i giornalisti cercavano di avere una dichiarazione dell'accusato, un uomo in età, dai capelli grigi, con un cappello scuro e un completo marrone si lanciò con forza verso Oswald prendendogli un revolver sul ven-

tre e facendo fuoco prima che le forze dell'ordine potessero intervenire. Dopo aver sparato l'attentatore si lasciò arrestare senza opporre resistenza.

Lee Harvey Oswald, gravemente ferito, è stato immediatamente trasportato all'ospedale Parkland, lo stesso dove il presidente Kennedy esalò l'ultimo respiro.

L'attentatore è Jack Ruby, proprietario di un night club, il « Carousel Club ». Egli era riuscito a immischiersi con i giornalisti vi-

sto che erano accampati con la speranza di fare il proprio articolo sul l'omicidio.

L'incredibile attentato ha essere visto da milioni di spettatori che aspettavano di veder vedere il volto di quello ormai tutti consideravano colpevole dell'assassinio di Kennedy.

All'ospedale di Dallas Oswald è stato immediatamente trasportato nella sala operatoria, dove alle 20.00 è morto.

UNA SOLA ECCEZIONE: LA CINA COMUNISTA

HONG KONG, 24 nov. (ATS-AFP). — Un giornale di sinistra in lingua cinese, edito a Hong Kong, a proposito della morte di Kennedy ha scritto: « Due protesti hanno messo fine alla vita del Presidente Kennedy, ma non alla politica capitalista in Asia, in Africa e nell'America del sud ».

Secondo fonti generalmente bene informate, gli scolari di Pechino avrebbero salutato con un applauso la notizia della morte del Presidente degli Stati Uniti, descritto loro come l'uomo più cattivo del mondo.

Una stampa pubblicava il presidente Kennedy in un lago di san-

gue con un foro nella tempia e con la scritta « Kennedy morde la polvere », è l'unico commento trovato domenica sulla stampa cinese a proposito dell'assassinio del Presidente degli Stati Uniti.

CHE PREZZO I

NUOVA YORK, 24 nov. (AP, Reuters). — Un fotografo dilettante ha venduto per 40.000 dollari periodico « Life » 15 secondi pellicola sull'uccisione di Kennedy a Dallas. La casa editrice « me-life Inc. » ha confermato, venuto acquisto, ma non ha dato precisi sulla somma, e si è al fotografo.

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caro Mr. Rubietein (Jack Ruby), sono stato in America
esclusivamente nella California. Ho prestato servizio
militare nelle Armi Americane. Sono stato cittadino..
Americano. Trattasi nel lontano 1928-37.
Causa privata ho dovuto a malincuore lasciare l'America
e, pur avendo sempre avuto l'idea di ritornare, un desti-
no fatale mi costrinse a rimanere qui in Europa, e nella
Svizzera....ove passai anch'io periodi cattivi, ed ora..
mi trovo semi invalido per malattie subite.
Fui sempre un cittadino esemplare e buon soldato e per
lo piu' patriota Americano. Come la mia fedina penale in
California lo potrebbe affermare.
Qui si parla di tu'stampa radio la gente. Capiisco tutta
la faccenda dell'uccisione del Presidente Kennedy...per-
che' conosco l'America....ma Noi non possiamo giudicare
con precisione il perche' di tale assassinio.
Il tuo gesto se da una parte e' considerato buono, dall'al-
tra e' considerato vano cattivo.
Personalmente credo in buona fede al tuo Patriotismo..
e, e' tale e', fu il tuo gesto in tal senso, tu non sola-
ssi un eroe, e laecerai un nome nella storia, ma (non so
se mi capirsi)...hai salvato due civilta' nel futuro, ed
oltre aver difeso la tua citta', hai dato prova di.....
intelligenza e fede.
Peccato che ho perso l'inglese. Sono molti anni che non
ho piu' esercizio....senza mi spiegherei meglio.
caro Mr. Rubietein lo SO' che ti troverai in cella, ma il
tuo gesto, se patriottico, ti consolera' e vedrai che...
Dio, se credi, vice-versa l'umanita' (se non credi) ti di-
fendera' ed avrai causa vinta. NON DISPERARE.
Peccato che sono lontano, se fossi vicino, ti farei visi-
ta se mi fosse concesso. Temo che ti daranno questa let-
tera, e ti tradurranno in Inglese il contenuto.
Se vuoi scrivimi e mandami un tuo ricordo o foto.
Saluti e stammi bene. Tuo.....

27-II-63.

Mr. Achille Alfonso Scettrini
Gordola (posta) Ticino.
SWITZERLAND (SUISSE)

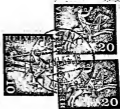
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Mr. Rubistein
(Jack-Ruby)
DALLAS U.S. of A.

Texas

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Encl. 25-183

9480 Blucher Valley Road
Sebastopol, California



Jack Ruby
P.O. City Hall
Dallas, Texas

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Dear Jack Ruby, or lawyer

The first thing I want you to know is that I'm no crack. I am eighteen years old and very patriotic.

But the killing of Oswald was a very bad mistake for many reasons. This is suppose to be a court of justice, but Oswald didn't get any justice, and that's what Kennedy was working for justice.

I believe that if Kennedy were alive today he would say that Oswald should have had a fair trial and that Ruby should stand trial for murder just like any other man who committed murder.

Kennedy was a great man, and I had a lot of love and respect for him, but I believe Kennedy would have been the first to admit that he was just a man, and a man who takes the life of another man ~~should~~ have the right to a fair trial.

Our ancestors fought for our rights and died to keep them. Men like Kennedy struggled to keep those rights.

Men like Ruby, who think of revenge; don't realize what Kennedy was struggling to keep and what God has declared. — Romans 12:19

"Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, Vengeance is mine, I will repay, saith the Lord."

I believe that this is true, so whether Ruby gets off or not in the end God will take his revenge on Ruby, Oswald and all the other men who have unjustly taken other men's lives.

Sincerely,

Rita Hayes

P.S. I don't know if another man will ever be as great as Kennedy was, but to me, that still does not justify what Ruby did to Oswald, because Oswald would have received his justly reward for what he did.

In my mind Ruby wasn't being patriotic, he was just being stupid by thinking it would make matters better.

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Jack Ruby
County Jail
Dallas, Texas



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JK

assassins assassinator;

I heard a news report
a few minutes ago saying that you
had gotten many letters from people
who actually condoned the criminal
act you committed. Your lawyer
stated that the letters received from
people who did not approve of
your act were "cranks".

I am writing to say I do not
of your act of murder any more
than I would of premeditated murder.
Maybe more people haven't written
telling you this because they feel
they would be belittling themselves
writing to you a murder of
purpose. (G. M.)

But they would also be wasting
the money on a stamp because
you only let the ones you liked
to influence your feelings and
not the majority

a friend of freedom
Michael E Barros
USCGC (Wachmett)
Seattle, Washington

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H. St. George

GREATEST NEW YORK'S LARGEST HOTEL

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Jack, hold your head up and keep your spirits high, millions upon millions of Americans are solidly behind you, where on this God's earth are we ever going to find a President, who in his first three years in office with such a massive task ahead of him performed so brilliantly. If his life had not been snuffed out at such a young age, nobody could visualize to what great heights he would have ascended in behalf of all mankind.

He was great as President, but as a husband and father he was beyond compare. I'll never forget those happy occasions with Jacqueline, Caroline and little John John. Now - now - why the whole world wept so shamefully. He will be missed.

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OF LUXURIOUS SWIMMING POOL - WORLD'S GREATEST BANQUET FACILITIES (continued)

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GREATER NEW YORK'S LARGEST HOTEL



CLARK STREET • BROOKLYN 1, NEW YORK • TELEPHONE MAIN 4-8000

Having read in the papers how much you loved and admired another great President, Franklin Delano Roosevelt I am proud to say I had the same feelings.

These two great Americans, F.D.R. and J. F. K. will go down in history as two of the greatest, because at the time of their election they had to surmount severe obstacles.

Jack, I have written a poem about Franklin & Eleanor Roosevelt which I have entitled "ELEANOR AND FRANK" I want you to have it. When you are a free man again I'll write a poem for you about "JACQUELINE AND JOHN"
KEEP YOUR CHIN UP.

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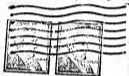
IN THE GRIP OF A DEPRESSION A COUNTRY IN DESPAIR
 IN 1932 THE NATION VOTED WITH HOPE AND A PRAYER
 A NEW PRESIDENT WAS ELECTED HIS NAME WAS FRANKLIN D.
 HE BROUGHT US BACK FROM DARKNESS AS YOU WERE SOON TO SEE
 THE SHIP OF STATE HAD RISEN FROM WHERE IT ALMOST SANK
 UNDER THE LEADERSHIP AND GUIDANCE OF ELEANOR AND FRANK
 THE YEARS AHEAD WITH ROOSEVELT WERE SOMETHING TO BEHOLD
 THE ECONOMY OF THE NATION WAS SOLID AS OF GOLD
 CAME THE DAY OF INFAMY WHICH HE HAD SPOKE ABOUT
 AND THEN OUR GALLANT FORCES PUT THE ENEMY TO ROUT
 THE PRESIDENT HAD PASSED ON BEFORE THE WAR WAS WON
 BUT IF HE HAD BEEN LIVING HE'D SAY A JOB WELL DONE
 IN THE HEARTS OF ALL MANKIND THEY WILL LIVE FOREVERMORE
 THE WORLD WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER FRANKLIN AND HIS ELEANOR

DURING THE DARK YEARS OF THE DEPRESSION I HAD THE PLEASURE
 OF MEETING THE FIRST LADY IN WASHINGTON. HAVING SPOKEN TO
 HER ON MANY OCCASIONS I WAS VERY IMPRESSED BY THIS
 WONDERFUL WOMAN. HER ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND TIRELESS DEEDS
 FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL PEOPLES, IS WHY SHE EARNED THE
 TITLE [FIRST LADY OF THE WORLD]

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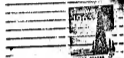
Dear Jack:

I hope this letter finds you in the best of health although you are under a terrible ordeal. The thousands of people who live in this hotel have no doubt that the act you committed was done in a fit of rage, we also saw the smirking face of the bum who didn't show a bit of remorse after he gunned down the President, and the brave officer whom he shot down at close range as he was ready to question him.

I can just imagine how you felt, because millions of people all over the world had the same feeling when they saw our beloved President shot down so cold bloodedly by this bestial crackpot. I know that at the spur of the moment your emotions got the best of you and you were blind with rage.

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December 5, 1963

Dear Jack,

This will most likely be a short letter. I have been up all night writing and working (it is now 4:45 a.m.) so I can't hardly bother to go to sleep, as I couldn't get enough now to do any good. So, since I have decided to stay up, and since I got your answer today, I will drop you a note, despite the fact there isn't much of anything to say.

You remember Joe Redula, all right. He said he had always just finished a cold beer when you would ask him if he'd like a sandwich. Joe was our cameraman. He left the Saturday before the rest of us. The Friday Deke tried to cut Bob out, Joe got fed up and left.

I was just kidding about writing because now you have time. I knew a few weeks ago that you were planning on writing. Bob told me just a few days after you had mentioned it to him.

I don't really know what you mean by "I realize that I'm no bargain" unless you were trying to say that because you killed a man you are nothing to be proud of, or are not worthy of respect, or some such thing. If this is what you meant, I don't really know how you figured it.

I don't know of anyone who is proud of you for shooting Oswald, true, but by the same token, I don't see how that makes you any less worthy of my friendship or respect of you as a person. While you did a grossly thoughtless, illegal, and nonunderstandable thing, one irrational act should never wipe out all the rest of a man's deeds, and we can all remember the multitude of kind, generous, unsolicited things you did for us - a bunch of hungry nobodies who could never hope to pay you for any of what you did for us. And you didn't do it just once, but time after time after time. So you will have to do a hell of a lot more than you did to make us feel other than as a friend toward you.

I'm going to send Joy my other letter, with a note inside, to the Club.

You threw me a second time in one letter by apologizing for your letter. First of all, I hate people who apologize for anything about themselves. And secondly, I had thought several times about what a pretty, clear penmanship you have. My writing is literally so bad you can hardly read it.

One last bit and I'll close for now. One of the FBI men asked Bob if it was true that you were running a whorehouse and an after-hours joint. I said, if he had asked me that, I would have had to tell him that, if you were, then you weren't a friend after all, because you didn't let us have any.

Sincerely,

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